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Direct the Department to employ no more than five regional coordinators for providing claims and benefit application assistance to veterans in coordination with the appropriate county veterans service officer in order to maximize assistance to veterans.

Direct the Department to employ no more than seven claims officers to provide federal claims and benefit assistance to veterans and specify that these positions be based in the agency's regional office in Milwaukee County.

Direct the Department to employ no more than two mobile claims officers in the agency's southeast region and no more than one mobile claims officer in each of the agency's three remaining regions to provide claim and benefit assistance to veterans in coordination with the appropriate county veterans service officer in order to maximize assistance to veterans.

Require the Department in consultation with veterans service organizations, county veterans' service officer organizations and county veterans' service officers to study whether additional mobile claims officers and regional coordinators are needed to provide claim and benefit assistance to veterans located outside the Department's southeast region service area. If the Department determines that additional mobile claims officers are needed, authorize the Department to submit a proposal to the Joint Committee on Finance to increase the number of authorized mobile claims officer positions in the Department for mobile claims officers under a 14-day passive review procedure. If the Department determines, with the concurrence of veterans service organizations, county veterans' service officer organizations and county veterans' service officers, that additional regional coordinators are needed, authorize the Department to submit the proposal to the Joint Committee on Finance to increase the number of regional coordinators in the Department under a 14-day passive review procedure.

Nothing to do here
0160512- 4. LFB Paper #973. Delete Governor's recommendation.

0160512- 5. LFB Paper #974. Alternatives A3 and B2. Delete the Governor's recommendation.

0160513- 6. LFB Paper #985. Modify the Governor's recommendation by funding the Tuition and Fee Reimbursement Grant program and Part-Time Study Grants program at 85% and by deleting \$1,062,500 SEG in 2001-02 and \$1,288,700 SEG in 2002-03.
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0160514- 7. LFB Paper #986. Modify the Governor's recommendation by providing an additional \$104,900 SEG in 2001-02 and \$175,200 SEG in 2002-03 for the subsistence aid grant program, based on a revised estimate of program needs and by requiring that veterans be in a treatment program approved by the Department as a prior condition to receiving a subsistence aid grant while the veteran's incapacitation is the result of alcohol or other drug abuse. Adopt Alternative B2 deleting the Governor's recommendation for the health care and grant program modifications.

0160515- 8. LFB Paper #987. Modify the Governor's recommendation by providing an additional \$100,000 SEG annually from the Veterans Trust Fund (to provide total funding of \$200,000 SEG
This will be slightly modified by the motion 1063

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